Rosemont Copper Project Hydrology/Water Quality Meeting 18 April 2017

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Purpose: The Corps seeks understanding of the following questions as part of our charge to review, assess and resolve the difference between the District's and the Arizona Governor's recommendation on issuance of the Section 404 permit.

- 1. Would the proposed fill in waters of the U.S. as a result of construction and operation of the mine cause violations of SWQS (mercury, silver, etc.)?
- 2. Would the proposed fill in waters of the U.S. as a result of construction and operation of the mine cause impacts to the downstream Tier III waters?

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Lead</u>
1:00-1:15	Introductions/Review Meeting Purpose	USACE/William James
1:15-1:45	EIS Modeling and baseline information	USFS/Garrett
1:45-2:15	Hydrology modeling and conclusions	HudBay
2:15-2:45	Pima County hydrology and conclusions	Pima County
2:45-3:00	ADEQ hydrology and conclusions	ADEQ
3:00-3:30	Break	
3:30-4:00	Open Discussion	All
4:00-5:00	Closed Federal Family Discussion	USACE/EPA/USFS

Anticipated Attendees:

USACE:

Deanna Cummings: Senior Regulatory Project Manager, Albuquerque District Stephen Scissons: Chief, Hydrology and Hydraulics, Albuquerque District

Tom Cavanaugh: Appeals Officer, South Pacific Division William James: National Mining Expert, Corps Headquarters

EPA:

Jason Brush: Acting Assistant Director, Water Division

USFS:

Tracy Parker: Regional Director of Lands and Minerals

Chris Garrett: Project Manager, SWCA Environmental Consultants

ADEQ:

Misael Cabrera: Director

Trevor Baggiore: Water Quality Division Director Krista Osterberg: Surface Water Section Manager

Plus 2 TBD

Pima County:

Brian Powell: Program Coordinator

HudBay:

TBD

Logistics:

- For those driving to the meeting, there is a pay parking lot adjacent to the office and free and metered street parking nearby (see attached map)
- The building is open access on the 1st floor
- Take the elevators to the Regulatory offices located on the 9th floor
- 9th Floor doors beyond the elevator bay are locked go thru the glass doors and call the number posted by the phone to have someone come meet you and escort you to the conference room
- Call me (William James) at 615-604-1948 that day if you have any questions or logistical issues